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In re the Application of

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REQUEST FOR CONSIDERATION OF INFORMATION DISCLOSURE STATEMENT

Assistant Commissioner of Patents Washington, DC 20231

Dear Sir:

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With respect to the Information Disclosure Statement filed October 3, 2008, Applicants respectfully request that the Examiner initial and return a copy of the previously supplied Form PTO-1449 indicating consideration of all cited references. It is noted that PAIR contains a copy of that Form PTO-1449, as well as a copy of the IDS, and the JP '864 reference and the Japanese Office Action dated July 8, 2008.

Respectfully submitted,

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